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"THE UNION, THE CONSTITUTION, AND THE ENFORCEMENT OF ITS LAWS."

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E. C. Goff,  
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the County Fire Proof Building, Appleton, Wisconsin  
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lowing of all persons who may care to do so to  
share a long, hot, that he has opened a "Fol-  
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No pains spared to give satisfaction to all quality and  
good variety. 9-1

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Cheeseman. This Hotel is located on  
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the business part of the city. It is in the immediate  
neighborhood of Turner's Livery Stable, conducted by  
the same and good man. The hotel is supplied  
with the best and best. The roomed afford no pains  
spared to make the traveller feel at home 9-1

McNeil House,  
Proprietor. This house has lately  
been refitted and opened to the public. It con-  
sists of the old Depot, now a large  
house for persons. Corner of Appleton and Law-  
rence streets, south of the Depot, Appleton, Wisconsin  
will always be found at his old stand, until the north  
side of the river, ready to wait upon any and all who  
will sit at his table with a smile. 38

Angier House,  
E. L. R. Cuthbert,  
Attorney at Law,  
COURT COMMISSIONER,  
AND  
INSURANCE AGENT.

Claim Agent for procuring Pensions,  
Bounty Arrears of Pay &c., and Agent for  
the examination of Titles, and

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I am always prepared to attend the people of Apple-  
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THE LATEST IMPROVEMENTS  
in the business, with the best success. Teeth mounted  
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closed. Call and see specimens of my work. 9-18

Cloth Left,  
Somewhere between 6 and 15 yds. of cotton cloth  
was left, through mistake, at the City News Depot,  
17th street, Appleton. The owner will prove proper-  
ties. Call Dr. Stiles, 1863. J. H. LEE

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RESIDENT DENTIST,  
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GRAFTED

The subscriber, having been "grafted into the army,"  
of Uncle Sam, and also having had his establishment  
fully all indebted to him, has consented, to make one  
and settle the same. All bills unpaid on the 1st of  
Jan. 3, will be placed in the hands of an officer for col-  
lection. Call Dr. Stiles, 1863. J. C. SMITH, At-

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# The Crescent.

Official Paper of the City and County.  
APPLETON, ILLINOIS

## Congress.

Has thus far been grinding a heavy grist for the "gentleman from Africa." Not much other than such legislation has been done thus far. If this is but an index of what is to come hereafter, for the sake of their constituents, (who are now sorely pressed by taxation and the concomitant ill of war,) let them adjourn and go home. If it has come to this that no legislation, recognizing the interests of white men, can be adopted, without luging in the "Almighty Nigger,"—if the whites are only a tail to the black comet,—then farewell to our once free and happy Colum'na! Aye, adieu to Washington's heroism, Webster's statesmanship, Clay's oratory, and Douglas' convincing logic! But we must hold our peace, no matter what measures are promulgated by those modern philanthropists, or be classified as "disloyal."

Our COUNTY FAIR was an event not lightly forgotten. Do you, farmer, remember the arrest of a discharged soldier and the refusal to allow him to even give bonds for his appearance? Do you remember that all he wanted was time to produce his discharge? Do you remember how the myrmidons of corruption were determined that he must go to the County Jail? Do you remember that Mr. Perrot, Postmaster at Greenville in this County, came forward and denounced the arrest as wholly illegal and unjustifiable?

What was the result? Friends went and obtained the "discharge" of an honorable soldier,—and—Mr. Perrot is removed from the petty office of Postmaster, worth \$12 a year!

Such are the fruits of modern Republicanism! Keep on!

Congress has postponed the draft until Jan 26th next. This is probably with a view to amend the act in some important particulars, now pending in that body. Some changes in the classes (probably combining them in one) and the commutation clause (probably increasing the same to \$500), will be made. In the interim the quotas will be filled by volunteering in many localities. Various places are offering extra bounties to this end. Shall Outagamie not move in this direction if there are no hardships of Conscription?

James Lee, Esq., of Stevens' Point, has been experimenting for ten years past on breech-loading arms, and has three patents out on inventions of that nature. The Pinery says his arms have been tested by the govt., pronounced satisfactory, and their manufacture will be commenced by the government—*Ms. Sept.*

Fshaw! There is a brace of arms in this city which we know to be far superior to Lee or "any other man's" invention, and nobody ever dreamed of securing thereon a patent! If you want a superior article in the arms line, come to Appleton!

The Appleton Crescent complains that wood is selling in the streets at that city for a dollar seventy-five and two dollars per cord. What would the editor say to four and six, which it brings here—*Milwaukee Sent.*

"Four-and-six" (Yankee short for four shillings and sixpence during the days of Democratic money) is pretty cheap for wood! Will not the Sentinel editor send us a few thousand cords at that rate?

To obtain a lot of land near Central Park, New York, for a hotel, \$750,000 have been offered and refused.—*Ez.*

Come to Appleton, where Lawrence University, the best Educational College in the West, sits Queen over the most fertile lands, the most magnificent Water Power, the most honest people, the most beautiful hills and vales, the healthiest climate, and procure a front corner lot for a mere song! We want a new hotel of larger dimensions than our present ones, and no better investment can be made.

The Oshkosh Courier, Democratic newspaper published by Read & Strong, has changed hands and politics—Messrs. Morley & Davis are the new publishers.

James Ross, Ex-Local Editor of the Madison Patriot, has become the Local of the Journal of the same city. He is a man of genius and a gentleman.

Madison, La Crosse, Beloit and other places in this State have voted heavy bounties to volunteers to fill their quotas under the January call, and thereby save a draft.

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Late this week

## War News.

St Louis, Dec 21.—A special to the Democrat, from Fort Smith, Arkansas, 20th, says that the attack made on the outposts of Fort Gibson, on the 17th, by Standwaite's force, stated to be sixteen hundred strong, was repulsed, and he fell back, taking part of his force across the Arkansas, below Fort Gibson, moving northeast.

The 3d Wisconsin cavalry has just returned from a successful reconnaissance southward. They went within 15 miles of Red River. Finding the enemy had changed position since the last advices, they were unable to proceed further. Their return was a constant skirmish for over one hundred miles, strong bodies of the enemy being posted at all the cross roads to intercept them. They cut their way through in some places, evaded other posts by taking blind mountain passes. Their loss is trifling. Among the prisoners captured is the notorious Handy Lane, who boasts of having killed over one hundred Union citizens with his own hands.

New York, Dec 19.—The Tribune's Folly Island correspondent writes under date of December 15th, that on Saturday morning, while the tide was receding, one of the privates of the 3d Rhode Island Battery discovered from Fort Putnam, on the beach what he thought might be a brass field piece. He asked and obtained permission to go and see. He armed himself with a spade, and in a few moments revealed a beautiful brass 12-pounder.

Do you remember that all he wanted was time to produce his discharge?

Do you remember how the myrmidons of corruption were determined that he must go to the County Jail?

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It is thought the rebels, before evacuating Gregg, buried a quantity of ammunition of all sorts.

Morris Island for a mile is lined on the beach with immense logs 30 feet long and 18 inches thick, fastened together by very strong bands of iron.

Boston, Dec. 19.—The special correspondent at New Orleans, under date of the 10th, says:

Gen Washburn holds the coast of Texas from the Rio Grande to within 100 miles of Galveston.

Another division of the 16th corps starts for the Texas coast to-day, and the expectation is that Galveston is the next place to put down in the history of the war as having been reduced by the Federals.

New Orleans, Dec 11.—Three or four thousand troops under Wirt Adams, Crosby and Logan, appeared in the vicinity of Natchez early this week, and attacked our forces under Gen. McCook, but were repelled with great hardships of Conscription?

The steamer Vorphul, which left here for St Louis on Monday, was badly damaged by a rebel battery just above Bayou Sara. A shell exploded in the pilot house, killing the Captain and Mr. Curry, the bar tender. Nine of the boat hands were wounded, three fatally. The boat was saved from utter destruction.

New Orleans, Dec 9.—The U S gunboat Kanawha has arrived here with the prize schooner Winona, captured while bound for Havana from Mobile. Her cargo consists of 248 bales cotton, 50 barrels resin, 100 barrels turpentine and \$5,000. Until within a short time the schooner has been used as a rebel gunboat at Mobile.

The "National Loyal Leagues" have by their delegates, asked Mr Lincoln to throw overboard Postmaster Blair and Attorney General Bates, and Generals Haleck and Schofield.

In London, Ky 20—Gen Shackleford and staff arrived here en route for home. He left Blain's Cross Roads on the 4th, fighting commenced at 2 o'clock and lasted till dark, Shackleford holding his ground till that time, when he withdrew. Our loss is from 150 to 200 in killed and wounded. Our forces were concentrating at Blain's Cross Roads when Shackleford left.

A letter received of Charleston, says: So far as visible, the only obstructions in Charleston Harbor are a double line of piles across the channel from Fort Pickney to the middle ground, and from there to Fort Johnson there is an opening of about 200 feet. The writer thinks the obstructions can be easily removed by the monitors.

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### Multum in Parvo.

Berger, the celebrated billiard player, is at present exhibiting his skill at Lyons, France, and excited general admiration. He announced the extraordinary feat of playing against any of the best amateurs a game (*a partie de cinq*) of one hundred up—that is, he must make one hundred before his adversary can score one! In addition, it must be remembered that Berger plays the carom game only.

The French are showing the world how to mount into a fort by an entire regiment. It is effected by climbing over a living ladder of six men, one standing on the shoulders of the other, against the wall. The English are taking warning, and the idea of training to gymnastic exercises has been seriously taken into consideration, and there will, at the commencement of next year, be a gymnastic school attached to every British regiment.

Lord Palmerston is going to Paris to ask Louis Napoleon's opinion of Mrs O'Kane.

Fifty thousand starving freed negroes in the department of the Mississippi alone is a beautiful comment on the philanthropy of abolition agitators.

James Ross, formerly local editor of the Madison Patriot, is now connected with the Journal of that city in the same capacity.

There is a factory in Providence R. I., that turns out 100 finished rifles daily. After January 1st, 150 is to be the daily product. The same establishment manufactures 40,000 cartridges a day.

The New Orleans packet ship St Louis was burned at her wharf in New York Vessel and cargo a total loss, amounting to \$30,000.

In his message, Mr Lincoln says the disbursements, during the year amount to \$895,796,630. This divided by 365 the number of days in a year gives the expenses per day, which amount is \$2,454,237.44.

Small pox still prevails alarmingly at Washington. A representative of a leading New York paper took a house, the previous occupants of which had had the disease, was himself and wife, taken down with it.

The rebel congress met at Richmond on Monday. Davis message is reported to be desponding in tone. In Tennessee, gave vent to violent expressions of indignation against Davis.

Wendell Phillips—very popular now at the federal capital—said in a recent speech.

Washington was a sinner. It became an American to cover his face when he placed his bust among the great men of the world.

A convent is to be erected at Springfield, Illinois, to cost \$60,000.

Dr Porter, the newly appointed Superintendent of the State Hospital, has arrived with his lady at Madison, to enter on his duties.

One of the California mining companies is selling land at the rate of \$1,000 an acre.

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